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Applicant(s): Stephan et al.

Serial No.: 10/520,722

For: DENSIFICATION OF CERAMIC SUBSTANCES BY MEANS OF
ELECTROMAGNETIC CENTIMETRE WAVES, AND RECEPTACLE FOR
CARRRYING OUT THE INVENTIVE METHOD

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XXX Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by Marc STEPHAN, Markus
VOLLMANN and Norbert THIEL;

— The undersigned attorney has verified that the above-identified applicant is
entitled to Small Entity Status.;

— _____ Sheets of Replacement Drawings;

XXX An Assignment of the Invention to : Vita Zahnfabrik H. Rauter GmbH & Co. KG,
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— A Certified Copy of the Priority Application;

XXX Information Disclosure Statement (Form - 1449) and International Preliminary
Examination Report;

XXX A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted;

___ Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (37 CFR 1.136(A)); and

XXX A Second Supplemental Preliminary Amendment.

The Filing Fee is calculated below.

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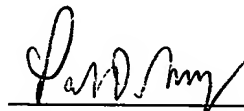
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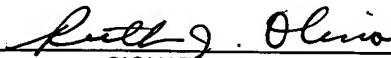
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 01/07/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 01/07/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 01/07/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/07/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/07/2005
- Copy of references cited in ISR filed on 01/07/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 01/07/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 01/07/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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